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AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL

LONDON: F. ALGAE, 11 & 12, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street, E. C. GEORGE SPIEET & Co., 30, Cornhill. GORDON Botton, Ludgate Circus, E.O. BATES HENDY & Co., 37, Walbrook, E.C. SAMUEL DEAUON & Co., 150 & 154. Leadenhall Street: / W. M. WILLS, 151, 15). Fleet Street.

PARIS AND EUROPE:—AMEDEEPRINCE 36. Rue Lafavelte, Paris.

22d Street. SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports was made will be liable to be forfeited, and generally :- Bean & Black, Son Fron - under the Provisions of Article X Sub-sec-AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW | Board will pass the necessary Resolutions

bourne and Sydney. CEYLON :- W. M. SMITH & Co., THE APOTHECARIES Co., Colombo. SINGAPORE, STRAITS, &c. :- SAYLE & Co., Square, Singapore. C. HRINSZEN

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### Banks.

NOTICE.

### TO ULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

1 - The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3: Saturdays, 10

2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year.

3.—Depositors in the Savings' Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 mouths at 5 per cent. per annum interest. 4.—Interest at the rate of 31 per cent. per .

annum will be allowed to depositors on their daily balances. 5,- Each Depositor will be supplied gratis the beginning of January and begin- Accounts to 30th April. 1890.

Savings' Bank Business is forwarded free | days inclusive. by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.

Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book

> For the Honorong & Shanghai Barking CORPORATION, THOMAS JACKSON

Chief Manager. Hongkong, May 13, 1890.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. 

RESERVE FUND......\$4,600,000 RESERVE LIACULTY OF PRO- \$7,560,000 PRIETORS.... COURT OF DIRECTORS.

Chairman-H. L. DALRYMPLE, Erg. Denuty Chairman-J. S. Moses. Esq. T. E. DAVIES, Esq. | Hon. A. P. McEwen. W. H. Forbes, Esq. S. C. Michaelsen, H. Hoppius, Esq. Hon. J. J. KESWICK. L. POESNECKER, Esc. ALEX. McConachie, D. R. Sassoon, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGER Borglong, T. Jackson, Waq. Starghai,....John Walter, Esq. LORDON BANKERS .- London and County

RONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED. ON Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent, per annum on the daily balance. On Fixed Deposits:--

For 3 months, 2 per cent. per annum. 4 per cent. " " 5 per cept. 11

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drafts granted on London, and the o'lief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia. America, China and Japan. THOMAS JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, May 13 1890.

### Intimations.

EAST BORNEO PLANTING COMPANY, LIMITED.

A N EXTRAORDINARY MEETING of Ex SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the OFFICE of the Agents, Messrs. Girb, LIVINOSTON & Co., on TUESDAY, 20th May, at Noon, when the Resolution which were passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on the 3rd Instant will be put to the Meeting for Confirmation as Special Resolutions. GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, May 5, 1890.

PEAK HOTEL AND TRADING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NTOTICE is hereby given that the PEAK HOTEL & TRADING COMPANY, LIMITED, will NOT, on or after the 1st day of May, 189), be ANSWERABLE for or PAY ANY Deets or Accounts, unless the orders for the supplies be signed by the Secretary to the Company for the time being By Order of the Board of Directors.

J, WHEELEY.

David Mint April, 1800.

### 號六十月五年十九百八千一英

HONGKONG, FRIDAY, MAY 16, 1800.

## Intimations.

THE HONGKONG ELECTRIC COMPANY LIMITED.

Intimations.

NYOTICE is hereby given to Holdens of SHARES in the above Company on which the Call of (\$4) Four Dollars per Cannon Street, E.C. ROBERT WATSON, share due 16th November, 1889, is still unpaid, that unless the said Call, with IN-TEREST at the Rate of 12 PER CENT. per Annum, from the due date, be PAID on on NEW YORK: - J. STEWART HAPPER, THE DEFORE THE 31st DAY OF MAY NEXT, at the CHINESE EVANGELIST OFFICE, 52, West | Company's OFFICES, 6, Ice House Lane, the Shares in respect of which such Call

ZEALAND :- Gondon & Gorch. Mel- for the forfeiture of the said Shares. By Order of the Board of Directors. CHAS. F. HARTON,

tion VIII of the Articles of Association, the

Acting Secretary. Hongkong, May 15, 1890.

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

KWOON KWAN YEEN CHALLENGE THE SECOND STAGE of the NINTH COM- pete.

PETITION will take place on SATUR-DAY NEXT, the 17th Instant, at 3 p.m. To commence at the 700 yards range. Entrance Fce, 30 Cents. A Launch will leave the P. & O. Wharf at

2.45 p.m., to take over Competitors. C. VIVIAN LADDS. Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, May 12, 1890.

Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their | SINGAPORE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

INIVIDEND WARRANTS for the Dividend declared at the Meeting held in Singapore on the 26th April last, are now ready for delivery, Hongkong Shareholders please apply to the Under- Apole von Andre (Messrs. Andre, Mendel signed for same.

ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents.13th May, 1890.

THE HONGKONG ELECTRIC

COMPANY, LIMITED. Each Depositor will be supplied gratis | NOTICE is hereby given that the First with a Pass-Book which must be pre- Ordinary General MEETING of sented with each payment or with SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company drawal. Depositors must not make will be held at the Honokone Hotel on any entries themselves in their Pass- SATURDAY, the 24th Instant, at Noon, Books but should send them to be for the purpose of presenting the Report of written up at least twice a year, about | the Directors, together with a Statement of

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company 6.- Correspondence as to the business of will be CLOSED from MONDAY, the 12th, the Bank if marked On Hongkong to SATURDAY, the 24th Instant, both By Order of the Board of Directors,

CHAS. F. HARTON. Acting Secretary. Hongkong, May 8, 1890.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

OF EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS of at Kowloon. this Company will be held at the CITY HALL. Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 31st day of May next, at Noon, for the purpose of considering, and if approved, of passing the

following Resolutions :-I—That the Capital of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation be increased from \$7,500,000 to \$10,000,000 by the creation of 20,000 New Shares of \$125, to be issued at the price of £42 10s. Eastern Shareholders to pay for their allotments at the current rate

of the day for Demand Bills on

London. That the said New Shares be in the first instance, in such manner as the Directors shall prescribe for that purpose, offered to the Shareholders in the proportion of one New Share for every three Shares of which on the 31st May. Shares not accepted by the Shareholders within the time limited by the Directors for that purpose, he disposed of and alletted by the Directors in such manner and at such price as in their discretion they shall think best in the

interest of the Company -That payment of the sum of £42 10s. per share for each of the said New Shares be made as follows, viz :-£10 12g. 6d. on the 30th of June, 1890 £1012s. 6d. ,, 30th ,, Sept., ,, £1012s. Gd. ,, 31st ., Dec., ,, £1012s. Gd. ,, 31st ,, March, 1891

4—That the Directors issue to Shareholders holding shares not a multiple of Three a Fractional certificate in respect of each share in excess of or below such multiple, and allot one new share to every person who shall produce three such Fractional Certificates on or before the 30th June, 1890, and pay the first instalment in respect thereof. -That after payment of the first instalment and pending payment of the future

instalments, Scrip Certificates in such form as the Directors may determine be issued in respect of such New Shares, entitling the Holders on payment of the remaining instalments, and subject to such other terms as to approval, date for lodging Scrip Certificates, and otherwise as the Directors may scribe, to be registered as the Holders of the Shares represented by such

Scrip Certificates respectively. -That interest at the rate of 5 per cent, per annum (free of income tax) be allowed out of the profits of the Company on all instalments paid in advance of the dates when the same become due and that from the 30th June, 1897, Holders of Scrip Gertificates be entitled 12(noon) . 1 p.m. " to participate prefeture dividends, in 1 p.m. 11 2 p.m. 11 half hour.
proportion to the injunt of instalments 4 p.m. 11 8 p.m. 11 quarter of an hour. paid up, on an equality with the other

Shareholders of the Company.

That interest at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum be charged on every instalment which shall not be punctually paid, and be paid with such instal-

-That all moneys received from premiums on the said New Shares be added to the Reserve Fund. For the

HONGRONG AND SHANGRAL BARKING CORPORATION. WADE CARDINER, Arling Chief Manager.

Hongkon, April 8, 1600.

PERSEVERANCE LODGE OF HONGKONG, No. 1165.

Regular MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in the FREE MASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, THIS EVENING, the 16th Instant, at 8.30 for p.m., precisely. VISITING BRETHEEN are

cordially invered. Hongkong, May 16, 1890.

(To all whom it may Concern.)

CHINESE PILOTAGE SERVICE.

TOTICE is hereby given that on SATUR DAY, the 31st May, 1890, there will be held a Competitive EXAMINATION in the Harbour Master's Office, at New-UHWANG, to fill a VACANCY in the Newchwang Pilotage Service. All those who have their Names down on the List of Candidates who can produce the

necessary Certificates are qualified to com-J. ARMOUR, Harbour Master.

M. BOYD BREDON. Acting Commissioner. CUSTOM HOUSE. Newchwang, 30th April, 1890.

TITHE TRUST & LOAN COMPANY OF CHINA, JAPAN, AND THE STRAITS, LIMITED.

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED.....£1,000,000 RESERVE FUND ......£40.000 BOARD OF DIRECTORS WM. KISWICK (Messes, Jardine, Matheson

& Co.), Chairman. & Co.) EGBERT IVESON (Messrs. IVeson & Co.)

DAVID McLEAN (Houghong & Shanghai Banking Corporation). S. WYLLYS POMEROY (Messrs: Russell & Co.) F. D. Sassoon (late Messrs. David Sassoon . Sons & Co.) H. D. STEWART (Messrs. Stewart, Thomson

& Co.) HONGKONG COMMITTEE: H. FORBES (Mesers. Russell & Co.), Chairman.

Hon. J. J. KESWICK (Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co.) HOD, C. P. CHATER. This Company is now prepared to make

Loans or advances upon all kinds of Goods and upon approved Securities; and to transact the business provided for in the Memorandum of Association. For information, terms of business, &c.,

DE WESTLEY LAYTON, Secretary.

Victoria Buildings, Queen's Road. Hongkong, May 3, 1890.

TOTICE is hereby given that A SPECIAL MRS. FALCONER has VACANCIES or EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL for GENTLEMEN RESIDENT BOARDERS

Kowloon, 5th February, 1890. THE HONGKONG HIGH LEVEL TRAMWAYS COMPANY. LIMITED.

AT OTICE is hereby given to ROLDERS of Shares in the above Company bearing the following Numbers: 484, 511/520, 561/565, 571/580, 611/620, 1021/1040, 1071/1080, -1111/1118

1121/1135, 1186/1190, 1206/1210, 1225/1226 and 1229/1230... on which the Second Call of \$50 per share. due 31st July, 1889, is still unpaid, and that unless the said Call, with Interest at the

rate of 9 per cent, per annum, be PAID to the Hengkong & Shanghai Banking Con-1890, they shall respectively be the FORATION, or the GENERAL MANAGERS at the Registered Holders, and that any New Company's Office, Nos. 50 & 52, Queen's Read Central, on or BEFORE THE 17TH MAY, 1890, the Shares will be liable to be forfeited. MACEWEN, FRICKEL & Co.,

General Managers. Hongkong, April 24, 1890.

WINDSOR HOUSE, HONGKONG. No. 8. Queen's ROAD CENTRAL. PRIVATE BOARD AND RESIDENCE.

FAMILY HOTEL

This Establishment is situated in a most central position, opposite the Telegraph Office and two doors from the Chartered Bank. It offers First-class Accommoda-TION to RESIDENTS and TRAVELLERS, has a Spacious DINING ROOM, and a large number of well FURNISHED BED ROOMS with all comforts. A Good Table Kept. TABLE D'HOTE :- Breakfast, 8.39 a.m. Tiffin, 1 p.m.; Dinner, 7.30 p.m. BOARD by the Month, Day, or Single Meals, at reasonable rates. ARRANGEMENTS CAN BE MADE TO SERV MEALS IN GENTLEMEN'S QUARTERS. CONTINENTAL LANGUAGES SPOREN. -

Mrs. BOHM, Proprietrix.

Hongkong, August 30, 1869.

HONGKONG HIGH LEVEL TRAM-WAYS COMPANY, LTD. WAYS COMPANY, LAD. SUMMER TIME TABLE. (To take effect from 1st May.)

WEEK DAYS. 8 a.m. to 10 a.m. every quarter of an hour

THURSDAYS.

NIGHT TRAMS at 10,30 and 11 p.m. SUNDAYS. CHURCH TRAMS at 10.40 a.m. 12 (moon) to 2 p.m. every quarter of an hour. 4 p.m. 11 8 p.m. 11

9 p.m., 10 p.m., 10.30 p.m., 11 p.m. Special CARS may be obtained on application to the SUPERINTENDENT. Single Tickets are sold in the Cars; Five-Cent Coupons and Rancond Tickers at the

MACEWEN, PRICKEL & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, April 29, 1890.

Business Notices.

FURNISHING DEPARTMENT.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

HAVE JUST RECEIVED THEIR TAIRST DELIVERIES OF LACE and COLOURED CURTAINS AND "ART MUSLINS FOR SUMMER USE, which they are offering at Extraordinary

NOTTINGHAM LACE CURPAINS, One Thousand Pairs to Select from, from A Splendid Selection of ART MUSLINS, from 20 Cents per Yard :-ART MUSLIN Ground,-CURTAINS, ELECTRIC CROSS STRIPED CURTAINS, FRINGED CURTAINS, FRILLED CURTAINS, THE "PORTLAND" CURTAIN, colored, THE "KENSINGTON" CURTAIN.

"Send for Illustrated Catalogue." One Hundred Different Pattorns in Stock. | An Inspection is respectfully invited. All Last Year's Patterns Greatly Reduced. Also, an entirely New Stock of DRAPERY and HOUSEHOLD LINENS, TIFFIN

and TEA CLOTHS, ANTIMACASSARS, D'OYLEYS, SIDEBOARD CLOTHS, &c., &c., &c. New Shipment of BRASS and IRON-BEDSTEADS and SPRING MATTRESSES Every description of Household Furniture; Estimates and Designs free.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.,

Complete House Furnishers.

Hongkong, April 26, 1890.

MARINE TIHE Undersigned begs to notify the Public of Hongkong and the Coast Ports, that

he will OPEN the MARINE HOTEL, on or about the 1st May. THIS FIRST-CLASS HOTEL Is situated on the Praya, West, opposite the OLD P. & O. WHARF, and is newly built after the designs of the LARGEST EUROPEAN HOTELS-the BEDROOMS, BATH-ROOMS, &c., are commodious, well Ventilated and well Furnished, and are suitable for Single or Married Persons. The DINING ROOM is large and looks on the Harbour.

The TABLE D'HOTE will be supplied with the best the market can provide. The BAR and BILLIARD ROOMS are on the Ground Floor, and will be fitted up in superior style. ENGLISH AND AMERICAN TABLES. WINES and LIQUORS of the best qualities and Brands only will be supplied. The Undersigned therefore begathe patronage of the Public, hoping to give every isfaction.

JAS. EDWARDS, Proprietor. 521

# satisfaction!

EX STEAMSHIP ROSETTA.

SPLENDID ASSORTMENT SUMMER DRESS MATERIALS,

WHITE AND COLOURED. LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S PITH HATS. W. POWELL & Co.

Victoria Exchange, May 13, 1890.

Tailors, Hatters, Shirtmakers and Gentlemen's Outsitters. NEW GOODS.

INEW FELT HATS (latest styles). IT LETERS and INVERNESS CAPES. CHESTERFIELD and COVERT COATS. - Drab Shell HATS. CHEVIOT and SAXONY SUITINGS. Single and Double Teral HATS, STYLISH TROUSERINGS. BOOTS and SHOES. GENT'S DEESS SHIRTS RACING COLORS:

RIDING BREECHES. GENT'S UNDERCLOTHING. « LADIES' HABITS. TRAVELLING RUGS and MAUDS LADIES' JACKETS." CLADSTONE BAGS. LADIES' ULSTERS. PORTMANTEAUS.

### Victoria Motel. Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

THIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c , has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Horars in the place. The ROOMS are specious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East, The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious, large DINING HALL

681/600, 771/785, 791/810, 901/990, The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, Reading Billiand and Smoking Rooms. The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service.

> Messrs. DORABJEE & HING KEE. Proprietors. Hongkong, September 16, 1885.

### Notices of Firms. THE TRUST & LOAN COMPANY OF

Continental languages are spoken.

CHINA, JAPAN, AND THE STRAITS, LIMITED.

TAR. DE WESTLEY LAYTON has been VI appointed Securitary of the Company's Branch Office in Hongkong, By Order of the Board of Directors.

WM. H. FORBES. Chairman of Hongkony Committee. Hongkong, May 3, 1890.

To Let.

TO LET.

NE Large ROM on the GROUND FLOOR of No. 13, Praya Central. Suitable for an Office. Apply to

G. C. ANDERSON, 13, Praya Central Hongkong, March 28, 1890.

TO LET. THAT Suite of OFFICES on the First Froon of the Company's Premises in ICE House Lane, at present occupied by Messrs. Holliday, Wise & Co., with entrance from Queen's Road. Possession from 1st

HONGKONG ICE COMPANY, LID.

March next. TWO GODOWNS on the GROUND FLOOR which can be let in connection with the above Office, or separat ly as desired.

With immediate possession, ONE ROOM on the First Floor of the same Premises. suitable for an OFFICE, with entrance from the South side of the Building. For Full Partionlars, apply to the MANA. GER at the Depot, or to

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Mana ere. Hongkong, January 27, 1890. 167 TO LET-FULLY FURNISHED.

MIOP FLOOR No. 1, Bank Bondings. L for Two or Three Months during Apply C.pfain GARDINER. Hongkong, May 5, 1890

To Let.

TO LET. TYOUSES Nos. 2 & 3, 'CAMERON VIL-LAS, PLAK. Gas laid on. One Spacious Five-Roomen HOUSE at MOUNT KELLETT, Peak. Gas laid on. HOUSES Nos. 5 & 6, Des Voux VII-LIS, MOUNT KELLETT, Peak, Gas Inid on, HOUSES Nos. 2, 17, 20, 22 & 23, BELILIOS TERRACE. Robinson Road. The BUNGALOW, 'DELMAR,' on Kowloon Farm Lot 1. Yow-ma-ti, with large

Garden and Tenuis Ground. Apply to BELILIOS & Co. Hongkong, May 15, 1890.

TO LET. HOUSE in WEST TERRACE. Immediate Entry. Apply to

G. C. ANDERSON, 13, Praya Central. Hongkong, May 3, 1890.

FURNISHED OF UNFURNISHED. (With Immediate Fossession.) A SIX-ROOMED HOUSE at the PEAK.

Apply to DENNYS & MOSSOP. 49 d 51, Queen's Road. Hongkong, April 29, 1890.

TO LET. THE HOUSE No. 1, MAGDALEN TER-RACE, Magazine Gap, lately in occupation of Mr. Lund. Rent, \$100 a month.

JOHN J. FRANCIS. Hongkong, May 14, 1890.

TO LET. THE TOP FLOOR of GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.'s Hong, consisting of Five SPACIOUS ROOMS and Three BATH. ROOMS, suitable either as Offices or Dwelling Apartments.

For terms, apply to THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST MENT & AGENCY Co., Man. Hongkong, January 14, 1890.

日八十月三年寅庚。

Auctions. PUBLIC AUCTION

VALUABLE LEASEHOLD

PROPERTY. HE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction. (Unless previously disposed of by Private Contract),

SATURDAY.

RURAL BUILDING LOT 1. Situate on Mount Gough, the Peak; Area 258, 589 square feet, Annual Crown Rent, \$88.00; commanding on the Northside a splendid view of Victoria Harbour and Kowloon, and on the Southside a view of Little Hengkong and out to Sea. There is now on the Lot a 6-ROOMED BUNGALOW called 'Brockhurst,' with GANDEN and LAWN TENNIS GROUND at

that the Crown Rent for each Lot will be Extremely Small. For Conditions of Sale and Plans, apply Mesara. DENNYS & MOSSOP.

.The Property will be put up in 6 Lots, so

No. 49 & 51, Queen's Road Central; Messrs. DANBY, LEIGH & ORANGE. Praya Central;

G. R. LAMMERT.

Auctioncer. Duddell Street. Hongkong, May 15, 1890.

For Sale.

FOR SALE. SEMI-GRAND PIANO, by COLLARD & COLLARD. Made expressly for the climate.

Apply to LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, April 29, 1890.

FOR SALE. AT THE PEAK. THE FALLS' on R. B. L. No. 28.—

A Well-built SIX-ROOMED HOUSE, at present let on Lease for one year. For full Particulars, apply to THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST-MENT & AGENCY Co., LTD.

Hongkong, November 12, 1889. 2153

Shipping.

Steamers. FOR SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, SAMA-RANG AND SOURABAYA.

The Steamship

Captain GRIER, will be despatched as above on r about the 20th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, May 13, 1890. STEAM TO STRAITS AND BOMBAY alling at COLOMBO if sufficient inducement offers.)

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Agents.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship will leave for the above places on FRIDAY, the 23rd Instant, at Daylight.

E. L. WOODIN,

Superintendent.

Menmuir.

RUSSELL & Co.,

Hongkong, May 13, 1890. EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,

ADELAIDE. Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEENS. LAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to NEW ZEALAND. TASMANIA, &c.) The Steamship

FOR SYDNEY. MELBOURNE AND

Captain Charo, will be despatched for the above Ports on MONDAY, the 26th Instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, May 13, 1890. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL The Co.'s Steamship Deucation. Captain Asquirit, will be despatched as above on

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, May 14, 1890. CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,

LIMITED.

TUESDAY, the 27 h Iustant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND PORTS, SYDNEY & MELBOURNE The Co.'s Steamahip J. E. Williams, Com-

ed at above on FRIDAY, the 3 th Instant at Daylight. The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer. First class Saloon and Cabius. are situated forward of the Engines Second-class Passengers are berthed in th. Poop. A Refrigerating Chambel ensures the supply of Fresh Provisions during the entire royage. A duly qualified Surgeon i

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SVIRE, Hongkong, May 14, 1800,

PRICE, \$2 PAR MONTH.

Shipping.

Steamers. NHE CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL

STEAM NAVIGATION, COM-PANY, LIMITED. FOR LONDON. The Co.'s Steamship

CHS. H. KEMP, Comm'der, will be despatched for the above Part on SATURDAY, the 17th the 24th of May, 1890, at 4.30 p.m., on the Instant, at Daylight, For Freight, apply to

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Hongkong, May 15, 1890. STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGA-

(Passing through the INLAND SEA.) The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Stramship.
Verous,
Captain C. F. PRESTOR, B.N.R., will leave for the above places at

SAKI AND KOBE.

Daylight, on SATURDAY, the 17th Inst. E. L. WOODIN. Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office. Hongkong, May I, 1≥90.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA. The Steamship

Capt. T. S. GARNDER, will be despatched for the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 17th Instant, at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Hongkong, May 12, 1800. MOGUL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

-LIMITED.

FOR NAGASAKI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA. The Steamship Capt. Golding, will be

Ports on SATURDAY, the 17th Instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, May 15, 1890. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

FOR PAKHOI AND HAIPHONG.

The Co.'s Steamship Captain AUBERT, will be despatched for the above Ports on or about SATURDAY, the 17th

For Freight or Passage, apply to G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Hongkong, May 10, 1890.

Instant.

LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW, The Co.'s Steamship Captain Pocces, will be despatched for the above

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

Ports on SUNDAY, the 18th Instant, at -Daylight.--For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,

General Managers.

Hongkong, May 15, 1890. AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY. STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG,

COLOMBO, AND BOMBAY,

Having connection with Company's Mail

Stenmer to ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID. TRIESTE, VENICE & FIUME. The Co.'s Steamship This be. Capt. E. PERINI, will be despatched as above on the 18th Instant, at Daylight, taking Cargo at through rates to Calcula, Madras PERSIAN GULF, BLACK SEA, LEVART AND ADRIATIC PORTS. Cargo will not be received on board after:

3 p.m. prior to date of sailing.

and Freight, apply to

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Hongkong, May 0, 1890. SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR NAGASAKI, KOBE AND

For further information as to Passage

YOKOHAMA. (Via Inland Sea.) The Steamship Pembrokeshire. Captain Dancaster, will be despatched as above on SUNDAY, the 18th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, May 10, 1890.

ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Sailing Vessels. FOR SAN FRANCISCO: William H. Macy.

Aluseury, Master, will losd
bere for the above Port, and The 3/3 L.1.1. American Ship

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, March 12, 1190 FOR NEW YORK.

The 9/3 L. I. I. British Barque Hinner, Master, will foed here for the above Port, and will For Freight, apply to

> Russial & Co. Hongkong, April 5, 1890.

Under the Patronage of H. E. the Officer ADMINISTRAING the GOVERNMENT, H. E. the MAJOR GENERAL Commanding the Troops, and the OFFICERS of the Carrison.

MILITARY MUMMERS A DRAMATIC ENTERTAINMENT the last of the Season) in Aid of the Funds THE SOLDIES AND SAILORS' INSTITUTE.

TO-MORROW (SATURDAY), the 17th May, 1890, consisting of H. J. Byron's Farcical Comedy proceded by the Laughable Farce CHISELLING.

Prices of Admission: Dress Circle. Box Plan can be seen at and Tickets obtained from Kelly & Walsh. Soldiers and Sailors in Uniform half. THEATRE

Doors open at 8.3). To commence at 9 p.m. - Gongkong, May 16, 1890.

o-day's Advertisements.

price to Stalls and Back Seats.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE. STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, KOBE AND

(Passing through the INLAND SEA.) The Co.'s Steamship General Werder. Captain M. Eichel, will leave for the above Porta TO MORROW, the 17th Inst., at 10 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

MELCHERS & Co.,

Hongkong, May 16, 1890.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. NOTICE.

STEAM TO SHANGHAI. The Co.'s Steamship Neckar.

Captain-H. SUPMER, willleave for the above place TO-MORROW, the 17th Instant, at 1 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to MELCHERS & Co.,

Hongkong, May 16, 1890.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY.

(Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW-CHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE.)

The Co.'s Steamship Dardanus, Coptain PURDY, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 21st Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Agents.

Hongkong, May 16, 1890. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR YOKOHAMA, KOBE AND NAGASAKI. The Co.'s Steamship

Capt. Anderson, will be

despatched as above on the 22nd Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

Hongkong, May 16, 1890.

BANK HOLIDAY.

FN accordance with Ordinance No. 6 of 1875, the Undermentioned BANKS will be CLOSED for the Transaction of Public Business on MONDAY, the 19th Instant, the day appointed 'in this Colony for the Celebration of the Anniversary of the BIRTHDAY of Her Gracious Majesty.

For the 'Chartered Mercantile Bank India, London and China, C. F. ROWBAND, Manager, Hongkong,

For the 'Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China,'
T. H. WHITEHEAD, Manager, Hongkong.

For the ! Hongkong and Shanghai Bank ing Corporation, T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

For the 'New Oriental Bank Corporation, Limited. GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR,

For the 'Comptoir National d'Escompte de

L. GLENAT. Acting Agent, Hougkong.

Hongkong, May 16, 1890. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. STEAMSHIP NECKAR.

FROM BREMEN AND PORTS OF CALL THE above-named Steamer having ar-

rived. Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kow-LOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, LAD. in the finished waters. Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained. OPTIONAL CARGO Will go on to Sharghai unless notice to the contrary be ERATED WATER, GINGER ALE. SODA WATER, given before Noon To-DAY, the 16th Inst. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 23rd

Tratant will be subject to rent. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on Whydesday, the 21st Instant, at 4 p.m. All Claims must reach us before the 22nd Instant, or they will not be recognised.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by MELCHERS & Co.,

Agents.

Business Notices.



AND CHILDREN'S SUMMER WEAR

### HONGKONG TRADING COMPANY. (LATE THE HALL & ROLTZ CO-OPERATIVE COY., LTD.)

To-day's Advertisements. To-day's Advertisements.

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.

Wednesday

REAPPEARANCE

ONE NIGHT ONLY

Box Plan at Messrs. Kelly & Walsh

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instruc

tions to Sell by Public Auction, on

TUESDAY,

the 20th May, 1890, at 2 p.m., at his Sales

A Large Assortment of REAL SAT-

SUMA WARE, COMPRISING, VASES, JARS,

BOWLS, INCENSE BURNERS, PLATES, FI

KANGA, IMARI, KIOTO, and TOKIO WARE

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CANADIAN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP

COMPANY.

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS

TO JAPAN, CANADA, THE

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'I'HE British Steamship BATAVIA,

son, will be despatched for VANCOUVER,

B.C., via NAGASAKI, INLAND SEA,

KOBE and YOKOHAMA, on THURS.

with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan

Ports, and at Vancouver with Pacific Coast

Points, by the regular Steamers of the

Through Passage Tickets granted to Eng-

land, France, and Germany by all trans-

First-class Fares granted as follows :--

To Vancouver & Victoria, (Mer.) \$210.00

To Montreal, New York, &c. 290.00

To Liverpool ... ... ... 325.00

To other European points at proportion.

ate rates. Special reduced rates granted to

Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Service,

and the Imperial Chinese and Japanese

destined to points in the United States,

should be sent to the Company's Offices

addressed to Mr. D. E. BROWN, District

Freight will be received on board unti

All Parcels must be sent to our Office

and should be marked to address in full

and the same will be received by us until

For information as to Passage or Freight,

DAKIN BROS. OF CHINA

LIMITED,

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OUR Plant comprises the latest improve

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introduction to Public Notice as a First

Class Substitute for Alcoholic Liquors.

Alcoholic stimulants

it has gained great popularity, and

deservedly so, and we look forward

with confidence to its general adop-

tion where a pleasant atimulant

beverage is required without those

injurious after effects common to

ments, and is one of the most com-

plete and efficient ever shipped from

LITHIA.

ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Customs, to be obtained on application.

To London ... ...

Freight Agent, Vancouver, B.C.

5 p.m. the day previous to sailing.

Hongkong, May 16, 1890.

England.

LEMONADE.

p.m. on the 11th June.

DAY, the 12th June, at Noon.

on the 24th July.

other Steamers.

Atlantic lines of Steamers.

2,553 Tons Register, Capt. WILLIAM

THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWA

J. M. ARMSTRONG.

Auctioneer.

LACQUERED WARE, &c., &c.

Hongkong, May 16, 1890.

TERMS OF SALE.—As customary.

COMPRISING TEA SETS, VASES, GOLD AN

Hongkong, May 16, 1890

Rooms, Queen's Road,--

UDSON

SURPRISE PARTY

NOTICE TO C ASIGNEES, S.S. PEMRROKESHIRE, FROM

HAMBURG, ANTWERP, LONDON, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby in. ormed that all Goods are being landed desired. at their risk into the Godowns of the Kow-LOON WHARF & GODOWN Co., at Kowloon, whence and/or from the Wharves delivery PORTS. (For Invalids and general use.)

may be obtained. This Steamer has Cargo ex Palitana at CALCUTTA and ex Rumea at RANGOON. -Optional-Cargo-will-be\_forwarded\_unless notice to the contrary be given before

Noon To-morrow. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 23rd Instant will be subject to rent. All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before

the 23rd Instant, or they will not be re-

. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hongkong, May 16, 1890.

## SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS. —∈May 15, 1890 🛶 Taichiow, British steamer, 862, Unsworth, Bangkok May 9, Rice and Wood.-YUEN SILVER INLAID BRONZES, and INCEMILLIN FAT HONG. Marie, German str., 704, C. A. Hundewadt, Haiphong May 12, General .- A. R. MARTY.

McBeth, British steamer, 622, Geo. Edwards, Saigon May 11, Rice for . an .-Adamson, Bell & Co. Neckar, German steamer, 3,120, A. Sup-

mer, Bremen April 2, 2 p.m., and Singapore May 11, Muils and 400 tons General for Hongkong, 30) tons for Japan, and 600 tons for Shanghai, -- MELCHERS & Co. Benl mers, British steamor, 1,513, Alex. Webster, Saigon May 12, Rice and Paddy, -Gibb, Livingston & Co. Nierstein, German str., 732, H. Fredrichs, Newchwang and Chefoo May 0, Beans .-

Melchens & Co. China, German steamer, 1,093, P. Haye, Saigon May 12, I ice and Paddy. Tunc KEE & Co. Camclot, British barque, 369, Murphy Freemantle March 27, Sandalwood.-GILman & Co.

Meefoo, Chinese steamer, from Whampen. Amigo, German steamer, 771, T. Bruhn, Sa gon May 12, Rice and Paddy .--Velox, German steamer, 759, II. Johannsen, Hoihow May 15, General, -MELCHERS To be followed by the S.S. ABYSSINIA,

on the 3rd July, and S.S. PARTHIA, Pembrokeshire, British steamer, 2,000, Dancaster, New York and Singapore May Connection will be made at Yokohama 10, Kerosine Oil, -ADAMSON, BELL & Co.

DEPARTURES. May 16 —\_\_ PACIFIC COAST STEAMSHIP COMPANY and Kaifong, for Whampon. Mongkut, for Bangkok.

Canton, for Shanghai.

CLEARED. Depack, for Singapore and London. Thazee, for Nagasaki. Presto. for Holhow and Touron. McBeth, for Kobe.

Per Taichiew, from Bangkok, 21 Chinese. Per Marie, from Haiphong, 4 Chinese. Per McBeth, from Sai on, Mr J. R.

Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo Scott. Per Neckar, from Bremen : for Hongkong, Captain C. Holm, Mrs C. Holm and child, Mr Paul Hubert, Mr and Mrs E.

Popp, Messre Chas T. Clerk, E. H. Kinnahan, von Pustau, Miss Schirmer, Mr and Mrs F. Schönfeld, Messre Gustav Siemssen and H. Löwinsohn, and 210 Chinese; for Shanghai, Mr M. C. van Daalen Wetters, Messrs Thomas Gibson, Robert Neilson, Lu Hai Ting, Fritz Kippe, and Rear-Admiral Valois; for Yokohama, Messrs Richard Boyes and Albert Müller, and Dr H. Tsut-

Per Benlawers, from Saigon, 6 Chinese. Per China, from Saigon, 212 Chinese. Per Amigo, from Saigon, 8 Chinese, Per Velox, from Hoihow, 28 Chinese DEPARTED.

Per Parthia, for Kobe, Messrs C. V May and J. O. Flaherty; for Pacific Coast Points, 146 Chinese. Per Mongkut, for Bangkok, 20 Chinese.

To Depart. Per Presto, for Holhow, 30 Chinese.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:-The Purity of the water is certified by For YOKOHAMA, KOBE & NAGASAKI Per General Werder, at 9.30 a.m., on

Saturday, the 17th inst. (Correspon-The construction of the machinery and dence may be posted on board till system of manufacture in force ensures time of departure.) cleanliness and absence of all contamination For NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA Per Afghan, at 11.30 a.m., on Saturday,

the 17th inst. The following are manufactured daily ;-For STRAITS & CALCUTTA. Per Japan, at 11.30 a.m., on Saturday, the 17th inst. For SHANGHAL. SARSAPARILLA.

be posted on board till time of de DAKIN'S PHOSPHOZONE. - A Delightful Tonic parture.) Beverage, free from Alcohol. Siace its For HATPHONG.

Dar Marie, at 5 p.m., on Saturday, the For SAIGON. Per Apenrade, at b p.m., on Saturday, the 17th inst.

For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW.—

and that the Government cannot sauction Lynne, Rob Roy, Held by the Enemy met, is the wild percock, so that the natives of the fourth wall is lacking. Verdict to be a tigen.

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MEMOS. FOR TO MORROW.

Daylight. - Verona leaves for Japan. Daylight.—Copack leaves for London. 10 a.m. - General Werder leaves for Jupan. Noon - Afghan leaves for Kobe, &c. Noon - Japan leaves for Singapore, Penang and Calcutta. I p.m. - Neckar Jeaves for Shanghai.

Shipping.

Amusements. 9 p.m.—Performance at the City Hall Miscellaneous. 3 p.n. - Competition of the Hongkong Rifle Association

WINES AND SPIRITS.

BY APPOINTMENT. LIMITED. (ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841.) HONGKONG.

TATE invite attention to the following old VV landed Brands, all of which are excellent quality and good value for the money. The same being specially selected by our London House, and bought direct from the most noted Shippers, are imported in wood and bottled, by ourselves, thus enabling us to supply the best growths at inoderate

In ordering it is only necessary to state the name and quantity of Wine of Spirit wanted, and initial letter for quality Orders through Local Post or by Tele- Tho C. N. Co.'s new s. s. Nanchang, from gram receive prompt attention.

Case. Per Bot. A Alto Douro, good quality, Green Capsule . . . \$10 \$1.00 B Vintage, superior quality, 

C Fine Old Vintage, superior quality, Black Seal Cap-D Very Fine Old Vintage, extra superior, Violet Capsule (Old Bottled) . .

A Delicate Pale Dry, dinner wine, Green Capsule. B Superior Pale Dry, dinner wine, Green Scal Capsule 7.50 0.75 C Manzanilla, Pale Natural Sherry, White Capsule . 10 CC Superior Old Dry, Pale

Natural Shorry, Red Seal 10 -1.60 D. D. R. str. Electra left Singapore for this D Very Superior Old Pale Dry, choice old Wine, 12 1.10 pected here on or about the 21st inst. White Seal Capsulo ... E Extra Superior Old Pale

Dry, very finest quality. Black Seal Capsulo (Old . 14 1.25 who were so successful on their last visit to Per Case. Per Case. Quarts. Pints. on their return trip from Japan. CLARETS.

A Superior Breakfast Claret, Red Capsule . B St. Estephe, Red Capsule. C St. Julien . . . . . 12.00 among the ruins has not yet been completed D La Rose Case. Per Bot.

BRANDY. A Hennessy's Old Pale, Red . \$12 81.10 | ns that the s.e. City of Rio de Janeiro, with B Superior Very Old Cognac, Red Capsule C Very Old Liqueur Cognac, 18 1.50 will leave for this port to morrow. Red Capsule D Honnessy's Finest Very Old Liqueur Cognac, 1872 Vintage, Red Capsule . 24 2.00 ble and a lukong were committed for tris

SC-TCH WHISKY A Thorne's Blend, White 0.75 ing bribes, have been sent back to the Capsule . 7 Watson's Glenorchy Mellow Blend, Blue Capsule, with Name and Trade Mark, C Watson's Abclour-Glenlivet.

Red Capsule, with Name Watson's HKD Blend of the Finest Scotch Malt Whiskies, Violet Cap-E Watson's Very Old Liqueur

Scotch Whisky, Gold Cap-IRISH WHISKY. A John Jameson's Old, Green B John Jameson's Fine Old.

1.00 post of bailiff to the Supreme Court, recent Green Capanie. C John Jameson's Very Fine Old, Green Capsule . . 12 GESTINE BOURDON WHITEY. fine old; Red Capsule, with Name .... 10 1.00 excess of that for the corresponding period

A Fine Old Tom, White Cap-4.50 0.40 B Fine Unsweetened, White C Fine A. V. H. Geneva.

Finest Old Zamaica, Violet Good Leeward Island \$1.50 per Gallon: Benedictine Maraschine Heering's Cherry Cordial Curacoa Dr. Siegert's Angostura loss is only too real. Chartreuse:

Bitters, &c.

BIRTH. On the 16th May, at Magdalen Terrace. Magazine Gap, the Wife of Mr E. H. MELBYE, of a Son.

The publication of this issue commenced

r: 7.50 p.m.

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HONGKONG, FRIDAY, MAY 16, 1890.

TELEGRAMS. SUPPLIED TO THE CHEMA MAIL.

> (Via Soutiern Line.) SOUTH AFRICA.

London, 14th May, 1890. started to occupy Zazaland.

GERMAN EAST AFRICA. the 17th inst. (Correspondence may intention to encroach on the British sphere, with England.

> (From Singapore fantre.) AN EXILE.

London, May B .- In the House of Com-

ICCAL AND GENERAL

April 28, leaves Yokohama on Satur-

day, the 17th May, at daylight, and

The P. & O. Co.'s extra steamer Thibet left Singapore on the 13th May,

THE Superintendent of the P. & O. S. N

MESSES Siemssen & Co. inform us that the

Ir will be seen from our advertisement

THE two cases, in which an Indian Consta

Pound Lane, garotted him and stole his

ly made vacant by the death of Mr McBean;

The number of aummary cases before the

Court up to the present date is 140

since the end of June last year. Of course

as far as the whole Colony is concerned,

music during the afternoon.

the other to six months hard labour.

Lalls Rookh, Blue Beard, &c. &c.

of last year.

be dealt with summarily.

Bombay for this port yesterday.

Friday, 23rd May.

or about the 19th May.

or about the 19th May.

the 20th May.

at 5 p.m.

be attended to.

to cade the native State of Swaziland to the PASSED SUEZ CANAL. OUTWARD BOUND :- Balcarres Brook, April Transvaal 11; Pembrokeshire, 15; Highfield, 18 Electra, Hankow, 22 ; Glenshiel, A LONDON telegram, dated 16th April in the Menelaus, 29; Telamon, May 2; Friq Briabano Courier, states that the new steaga, 6; Prometheus, Pathan, 9.

mer Saladin, which is intended for the Honewand Bound :- Titun, March 25 trade between Western Australia and Sin-Wismar, 28; Merionethshire, April 18; gapore, has been launched. Lydia, 22; Carmarthenshire, Glenaron Pekin, Stentor, 29; Ajan, Medusa, May According to latest advices, Signor Succi. 2; Preussen, 6; Sarpedon, 9. the celebrated Italian faster, who has un-

THEM M. Co. a steamer Caledonien, with the has finished the thirtieth day of his fact French mail of April 18, left Singapore at the Aquarium, and is still strong. on Wednesday, May 14th, at 8 a.m. and may be expected here on or about THE statement telegraphed from Berlin to Tuesday, the 20th May. This packet the effect that several rich and distinguish brings replies to letters despatched ed officers of the Guards had sent in their from Hongkong on March 12, papers in consequence of the late sumpluary The P. M. S. S. Co.'s s. s. City of Rio de edict of the Emperor, which they were sup-Janeiro, with the AMERICAN MAIL posed to regard as too much of an arbitrary

may be expected here on or about The Canadian Pacific s. s. Batavia left THE latest addition to the list of cadets a the Royal Military Academy at Woolwich Vancouver for Japan, &c., on the 12th is Ra Joelson, grandson of Rainilaiarivony, the Prime Minister of Madagascar, who has been allowed to enter the Academy at the request of the Foreign Office. This young cudet's grandfather has been the husband Noon, and may be expected here on of at least two successive Queens of Mada-

restraint on their social habits and mode

life, is now said to be unfounded.

dertaken to go without food for forty days,

The O. S. S. Co.'s c. s. Dardanus, trom Liverpool, left Singapore on the 12th May, and may be expected here on The O. S. S. Co,'s steamer Achilles, from Liverpool, left Singapore for this port on the 14th May, and is due here on colonial possessions (including the Fiji Is- bandaged up his fingers to prevent any Glasgow, left Singapore on the 13th lands) nine, Tasmania and Western Austrace of blood beyond a few yards. May, and is due here on or about the tralia one each, and other parts of Australia

The D. D. R. new s. s. Electra left Singa-THE German steamer Piccicla, Captain pore on the 15th May, and may be Neissen, came into collision with expected here on or about the 21st lighter between Koh-si-Chang and Bangkok. It seems that at the time of the col-The P. & O. Co.'s steamship Teheran left lision the night was very dark and the rain Bombay for this port on the 15th pouring down. The lighter was on her way down to Koh-si-Chang and ran into the The P. & O. s. s. Shanghai left London for Pombay and this port on the 6th May, steamer, leaving a good-sized air hole in her port bow. It is not definitely known which or whose lighter did the damage, but TO CORRESPONDENT. - 'Jean's ' letter will there is a very strong suspicion .- Bangkol

HEART-rending accounts reach us (Siam Gazette) of the destitution and famine raging Co. informs us that the s.s. Teheran left in East Loos. In Ubon the prisoners and the majority of the population are living on Banana stalks and wild herbs. villages have been deserted, the people flying to more favored districts. The contral government in Bangkok has kept port yesterday, at 3 p.m., and may be exailent on this matter, but we would respect fully suggest that some measures of relief should be taken, in aid of the faminestricken region.

columns that the Hudson Surprise Party A HUMAN form has been discovered Pompeii under a doorway, which clearly shows the sandals on the feet, and, what Hongkong, will give one performance here extremely uncommon in such remains. pair of trousers. A Naples archieologist supposes it to be one of the Alexandrian MR Wodehouse was to have resumed the colony stationed at Pompeii during inquiry into the recent fire at Bonham period of its destruction. It is evident that Strand West to-day, but as the search the man was flying with a bundle, and fel

the inquiry was remanded for another week. THE directors of the Provincial Bank of Ireland have issued a new rule, forbidding any officer in their service having a salary THE Agent of the P. M. S. S. Co. informs of less than £150 per annum to marry. An officer of the Dublin bank sends a spirited Mails, &c., from San Francisco to the 28th ultimo, arrived at Yokohama to-day, and

at the Supreme Court charged with receiv-Two men who have just returned to Cairo from Omdurman, the town opposite Khar- the feasibility of lowering the postal charge toum, which has been the seat of Mahdism from Hong Kong to the United States to Police Court by the Attorney General to since the siege and fall of the latter place. state that they met with no difficulties on | that the explanation was that for which he the road thence, the route from Khartoum | had so often had to claim the indulgence of to Dongola being perfectly open. They add the House for the gratification of the hon. A coolie named Kwan Lui was sentenced to nine months' hard labour by Mr Wodefamine is raging throughout the whole of the countries of the Postal Union, and did and Trade Mark . . . 8 0.75 house in the Police Court to-day for rob- the Soudan. They declare that Mahdism not chose to avail itself of the option rebing a shopkeeper of \$21. The prisoner is becoming extinct.

and other two men, it was stated, attacked the complainant while he was walking in made free of duty, and above that grade the matter. Signs of the Times. Four brokers were subject to a duty of four tenths of a cent per lb. American domestic sugars are among the candidates (unsuccessful) for the given a bounty of 2 cents per lb.

IT appears from the Scotsman that in onweek forty new joint-stock companies have been registered in Scotland, with a total capital of £3,455,820. During the three months expiring on the 31st of March last there has been a considerable increase on last year's average, which for the quarter was \$2,211,151. The total capital of the 136 THE value of the stocks of public compacompanies registered throughout the whole nies in Hongkong has ahrunk \$13,000,000 of 1889 was £8,844,604, but these figures included a number of private firms convert ed into limited liability companies, whose shares were not offered to the public.

this is mainly a loss on paper, but for those who were foolish to buy shares at the in considering what route should be chosen flated prices current ten months ago the Alexandrovitch, will undertake in the course of the present year. A Router's H.E. Major-General Bevan Edwards C.B. will hold a farewall reception cruise in European waters, followed by a requires to be cleared up, Headquarter House on Wednesday aftervoyage direct to Viadivostok, or take a noon, 21st inst., between the hours of more extended journey, with stoppages at and 7. There will be tennis, and the Band different points on the Indian coast. The of the 1st Battalion Argyll and Sutherland two Grand Dukes will probably start in the Highlanders will perform a selection o

THE French officials in Annam have me

with considerable difficulty in dealing with Two Malay seamen were brought before tigers, which are extremely numerous Mr Wodeliouse in the Police Court to-day that part of Indo-China, notwithstanding the large sums paid for their extirpation charged with stealing 32 lbs. of paint from Last year as much as 10,000f. was paid to the steamer Verong. A Chinese constable the slayers of this marauder. As payment is only made on the evidence of the skin said he saw the men throwing tins of paint and fangs there is no room for fraud. The over the side, into a sampan. One of the Temps gives some interesting data about to settle their little affair apart from the the depredations of this animal, and as Test. Dwords were the weapons selected. men was sentenced to three months' and evidence of his formidable character quotes and at the given signal they all set to the story of an official who requested a with a will. It is a relief to learn that all change of district because he was tired of the six quitted the field after the engage. THE Singapore Free Press gives the follow administering a territory which contained ments without having sustained any very ing as part of the repertoire of the Stanley as many tigers as inhabitants. In other scrious damage. The secretary of one A Portuguese expeditionary force has Opera Company expected in Hongkong districts they are so numerous that no one Journal wounded his adversary, in the would think of driving out after dark. The breast -one of his colleagues also mercing Operas .- The Pirates of Penzance, Les Annamese, in the hope propitiating so Cloches de Corneville, Grand Duchess of formidable an enemy, has raised the tiger gentleman on this paper was not so suc-General Caprivi said that Germany can- Mikado, La Fille de Madame Angot, La have been consecrated to him, titles of but the honours of the day fall to the Per Neckar, at 0.30 p.m., on Saturday, not go back from Bast Africa, and had no Bille do Tambour Major, Ruddigore, Buhe- nobility have been conferred upon him, and Deptche Algeriance, two of whose man mian Girl, La Sonnambule, Olivette, he has been surrounded with a sort of relia emerged triumphant from the ordeal at the Manola, Paul Jones, Faust up to Date, gions cult. When they endeavour to take | expense of their rivals on the fluction but was determined to proceed in barmony Martha, Dorothy, Little Duke, La Mas, one they only do so by meshs of elaborate al ratagem; constructing deep pits and then Burle que .- Aladdin. The Maid and the | sessiting the trapped animal when at a Magpie, Jack the Giant-Killer, Sleeping disadvantage. As there is very little game Beauty, She-e, Princess Cherry Blossom, in Annam the tiger has as much difficulty Scene A. Court of justice, Defendant mons the Under Secretary for the Colonies Bawn, Our Boys, Harbour Lights. East also proves that he is something of a gour- my four walls what I pleased? The Bench

THE Press at the Cape of Good Hope is Accombing to reports which have reached. denouncing Lord Salisbury for his refusal Vienna from St. Petersburg, the Czar received M. de Staal, the Russian Ambhana. dor in London, in private audience on Sa-turday last to hear his report on the Prince of Wales's recent visit to Berlin. This visit and the German Emperor's utterances on that occasion have been the subject of much comment in Russian Court circles, as the rapprochement which has taken place between Great Britain and Germany, seems to be causing some uneasiness to the St. Peters-

burg Cabinet. During the examination of the City of Paris in the graving dock at Birkonhead the true cause of the accident to the ship on her recent voyage from New York was discovered. When the water was being gradually let out of the graving dock an extraordinary thing happened. The starboard propeller dropped off, showing that the shart broke close to the propeller, and this sudden release of opposition at the speed the ship was going would cause the solitary shaft to revolve with awful velocity, resulting in an explosion and the collapse of the starbeard engine as already known.

PUNISHING A BURGLAR -- Burglaries are of almost nightly occurrence, says the Ceylon Observer. One fellow the other night was properly dealt with by a Moorman in Kollupittiya. The thief had made a hole in the wall sufficient to introduce his hand. In has been decided that the permanent | The Moorman quietly waited beside it till governing body of the Imperial Institute | the hand appeared inside, then down came shall include thirty nine colonial members, a sharp chopper on it, severing all four the North American colonies being repre- lingers, which were left behind as a mosented by eleven, the principal Australasian, mento. The police have not been able to colonies by twelve. Africa three, the other trace the burglar yet. He evidently

> THE KAISER VERY LIKE LORD RANDOLPH. -The most interesting study Bir John Gorst brings home with him from Berlin is one of the German Emperor. This shrewd observer finds in his Imperial Majesty a man very much after the type of Lord Randolph Churchill. The two are, in truth, singularly, alike in their hardihood of opinion, their audacity, their entire freedom from the influence of veneration, and their resolution to go their own way, overriding all respectable and established influences, whether they be those of Sir Stafford Northcote or Prince Bismarck. -Inverness Courier.

The Ceylon papers report a case in which Mr Ramanathan, a leading member of the Tamil community of Caylon, as well as a barrieter and member of the Legislative Council, lately appeared in Court at Colombo before the Chief Justice wearing the usual bands and gown, but having a turban in place of a wig. It seems that this is the first time this garb has been seen in Court in Ceylon, the late Sir Coomara Swamy, also a Tamil barrister, having always worn the orthodox robes. Mr Ramanathan did not himself argue, but held a junior brief to the Attorney General, who argued the case. But the Chief Justice (Sir Bruce Burnside) intimated to Mr Ramanathan through his registrar that he would not hear him if he attempted to address the Court, and that the only headdress for a barrister was a wig. It is reported that the Chief Justice subsequent. ly privately reiterated his determination to hear Mr Ramanathan only in a wig.

protest against this to the Freeman's Journal In the House of Commons on the 14th to-day, in the hope that the shareholders April, Mr H. Heaton asked the Postwill interfere. He says the rule means life. I master General whether he was aware that long celibacy to the bulk of the officials, as the postage from the British Settlement of £120 per annum is the maximum paid to Hong-Kong to the United States of America was 5d. per half-ounce, and from the United States to Hong-Kong 21d. per half-ounce; and whether he would consider. 21d. per half-ounce. Mr Raikes replied that the Mahdi has vanished, and that member. The United States was one of served by the Convention to charge a surtax over and above the fundamental rate of THE Committee of Ways and Means has re- | 2 dd. on lutters carried a long distance by ported the Republican Tariff Bill to the sea. The Colony of Hong-Kong was United States House of Representatives, within its Treaty rights in pursuing the after making various alterations in the bill contrary course and charging a surtax, and Sugar below sixteen Dutch standard is he would not be warranted in interfering in

THE Parti National brings a very serious charge against General Boulanger, which he will no doubt take the earliest opporunity of trying to rebut. It is to the effect that while he was Minister of War, at the time when the Schnæbele incident was regarded as likely to lead to war with Germany, the General was asked by his colleagues at a Cabinet Council to lay before them the summary minutes of the mobilisation plan. The General was unable to produce the document, either then or at subsequent meetings of the Cabinet, and on an inquiry having been instituted it was discovered that General Boulanger had taken the documents home to his ladgings THE Russian Imperial family are at present lat the Hotel du Louvre, and that they had found their way into the hands of a foreign for the sea voyage which the Czarewitch lady of rank, a Madame de K-r, living and his brother, the Grand Duke George near the Champs Elyaces. If this charge be true it is strange that it should not have been made before, and especially at the telegram from St. Petersburg says it is still trial before the High Court of Justice last undecided whether they will make a simple year. In any case the matter is one that

> THE Paris correspondent of the Daily Telegraph says they are 'going shead' in Al. geria in the matter of duelling. Two Republican journals having fallen foul of each other, three gentlemen on one newspaper challenged the same number of their confreres on the other organ to mortal combat. The cartel was accepted chearfully, promptand, the preliminries of the encounter having been duly arranged, the duels took place on Thursday. The ducie were trought en tete-a tele, each couple undertaking his opponent in the forearm. The third cessful, for he was wounded in the arm ;

Agorden Daniel come to judgment

THE LEGISLATIVE CUUNCIL. A meeting of the Legislative Cauacil was

General: Hon. P. Ryrie, Hon. A. P. Mac- necessary for the time being. Ewen, Hon. C. P. Chater. Hon. J. J. Keswick, Hon. Ho Kai, and Mr F. A. Hazeland, Acting Clerk of Councils. Absent-Hon A Lister. Colonial Treasurer. C. RRESPONDENCE RESPECTING THE DEATH OF THE MARQUIS TRENG.

The following letter from H. B. M.'s Minister, Peking, to H. E. the Officer Administrate the Government of Hongkong was land on the table of the Legislative Council this afternoon:-

Peking, April 26th, 1890. SIR, -I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of Your Excellency's telegram of the 14th instant, in which you inform me that the community at Hongkong had heard with great regret the news of the death of the Marquis Tseng. On the 20th instant the Tsung-li Yamen communicated to me officially a copy of the Imperial Decree issued on the subject of His Excellency's note two days later I took occasion to con-

Imperial Government than by the family of the deceased Statesman. I have the honour to be, Sir, Your Ex-

cellency's most obedient humble servant, JOHN WALSHAM. Her Majesty's Minister in China. His Excellency the Officer Administering

the Government of Hongkong.

THE RECENT ROYAL VISIT. . The Acting Colonial Treasurer brought forward the financial minute postponed at last meeting, recommending the Council to vote the sum of \$2,334.01, as an additional sum to the vote of \$12,000 passed by the Council on the 12th March last, to meet excenses connected with the visit to the Colony of Their Royal Highnesses The Duke and Duchess of Connaught.

His Excellency-On the 12th March last mentioned to the Council that it was thought that the original amount that was voted for the expenses connected with the Royal visit would be somewhat exceeded and I then mentioned that there was reason to believe it would be exceeded by a sum of \$2,000 or \$3,000.— I am glad to say that the extra sum-to-which I referred has not been exceeded. As the Council will see the extra expenditure incurred has been something over \$2,000. I am glad that when I informed the Council the original vote would in all probability be exceeded I mentioned the limit of the excess, which has not

The minute was referred to the Finance

A STEP IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION. connection with this Financial Minute what on board a vessel at sea. I consider a good suggestion of the Acting Colonial Secretary. I have given instruc- | tion whether a Chinese boat, or a junk or a tions for all the financial minutes to be sent | vessel of any description in the harbour may to the members three days previous to the be regarded as a British ship. Speaking from meeting of Council, in order that they may memory, I may my that I observed the other have an opportunity of knowing what mo- day that a man's junk or vessel was seized nies are going to be asked for. It has ap- | not far from the Colony. The man was appeared to me since I presided over this prebended, and I believe he is a native of Council that on several occasions financial Shau-ki-wan. He was brought before the minutes have been brought without suffici- Magistrate and was dismissed without punent notice. At the conclusion of the meet- | ishment because there was no jurisdiction. ing of Conneil, the meeting of the Finance I have no doubt the magistrate was carry Committee takes place, and members are ing out the law, but the case strikes me as there and then asked to agree to the vote very extraordinary in the light of the re. other papers on this subject to the of the sums which are mentioned in marks of the Attorney General. the minute submitted at the beginning | The Attorney General said he could not that the maximum amount of compensation was missing !- I can't tell you exactly of the Council. It appears to me that say whether the magistrate was right or auch a system is not altogether reason- wrong, as he had not the papers before him, able in regard to the consideration of but he would be very happy to look into money votes. We cannot be too careful the matter. Every junk, British ship or when we are voting public money to know | vessel of any nationality whatever that the circumstances under which they are came into the port or harbour of a British voted and the reasons for which the money | possession was obliged to conform to the is asked. I am sure that the Government law of that possession. of this Colony has every reason to be grate- It was agreed to amend this section by ful to the unofficial members for the trust | giving a magistrate sitting alone power to they put in the Government when the Go- impose a maximum fine of \$200 or a senvernment asks for public money. At the tence of one year's imprisonment. same time it would be far more satisfactory to the Government to feel that, when publie monies are asked for, every examination is given by the unofficial members to the vides that juvenile offenders may be whipreasons for which these monies are asked. | ped. I hope therefore that the system of having financial minutes sent round some short time previous to the meeting, in visability of whipping. He however, though order that the unofficial members may know | it was required here... He might mention a the reason for the money being asked, will case in his own experience. A short time prove estimatory. Of course there may be ago a small boy took a knife and stables circumstances when this course is not pract another in a most deliberate manner. If ticable. Money may be required in an omer- neut the case back to the Magistrale. gency and it may be necessary to submit a las he did not want to but the boy in the vote to the Council and ask the Finance dock and take up the time of the Court

the money is asked. FINANCIAL VOTES.

The Acting Colonial Secretary laid on the table the report of the proceedings of last meeting of the Finance Committee, and moved that the following votes be passed \$6,000 for the improvement of the Chinese Recreation Ground, \$300 for furnishing a local delivery office in connection with the Post Office, \$120 for house to the Compradore of the General Post Office, \$3,670 for relaying the lead roof and repairing the staircase of Victoria College.

His Excellency-With reference to the expenditure on Victoria College, I may say that there is another expenditure in question. not one that is now asked for in this vote, but there is another question concerning expenditure on this building in regard to which an enquiry is now being made. I expressed at the last meeting of this Council my regret that these sums of money should be asked -for in connection with this building. 1 cannot of course take upon myself to say what The Council the adjourned until Friday. conclusion those who are making the enquiry may arrive at. I think it only fair, however, to inform you that, before any further sums of money are asked for in connection with this building, every enquiry will be made.

The votes were agreed to. STANDING OFFICES.

The Atterney General laid on the table the report of the Sub-Committee appointed to frame new standing rules and orders, and gave notice that at the next meeting he sented tashim on the previous day, which would move its adoption.

THE DIVALCATIONS AT THE POST OFFICE. Mr Ryrie—I requested permission to put a question at the next Meeting of Council the works carried out by the Surveyor Geto this effect, - Whether His Excellency neral's Department, instead of there being would furnished the Council with any in- an excess, the expenditure was \$600 or formation in regard to the reported defal. 87 0 under the estimate.

the General Post Office of this Colony. His Excellency If I were in the meeting of Council on the subject of the nosition to answer the question that vote that was referred to the Finance Comhas been but by the Hon. member, mittee, I should be very happy to do so, but I am The Chairman and that, this being the sparcely in a position to do that insemuch Finance Committee and not the Council, he as enquiries are now being made in regard would not give an opinion on that point. to the defaication, and it would be far more. The vote was agreed to.

satisfactory so soon as I receive the report to give the information to the Council than to give it to-day. I hope by the next meetheld this afternoon. There were present : ing of Council to be in the possession of such -His Excellency the Officer Administering facts as to be able to answer the question. the Government. Hon. F. Fleming; Hon I may say so much that defaication has W. M. Deane. Acting Colonial Secretary; taken place such as will require a searching Hon. W. M. Goodman, Attorney General; investigation to be made, and such will be Hon. S. Brown, Surveyor General; Hon. made. In the meantime I have caused N. G. Mitchell- nues, Acting Registrar such enquiry to be entered into as I think

> THE COLONY'S JUBILEE. Mr Ryrie—I have another question that I intend to ask—If it is the intention of the Government to take any steps with regard to the celebration of the Jubilee of the foundation of the Colony.

THE PATENTS' AMENDMENT BILL. The Attorney General moved the second reading of this Bill. He explained that the only alteration made by the Bill was the addition of the words to 1888, which brought the Imperial Patent Acts up to that date into force in

THE FALSIFICATION OF ACCOUNTS BILL. The Attorney General moved the sedeath, and in acknowledging the Yamen's enough, but if anybody, in order to thing he saw in it. make it difficult to prove he has stolen, He had followed exactly upon the Imperial expeditiously, as possible and with the the registers.

England with great advantage. The Bill was read a second time and these complaints. Of course it was always terview. The prisoner answered the quest bier Planting Co.,

short one, but it was one of considerable treated in the observations that were made, defalcations besides the prisoner before Sundry Debtors importance and one that would prove very | We all get hard hits occasionally (continued | that date. usoful in connection with many matters | the General) and get abused in the newspa which not only occurred in this Colony but pers, but we take it quietly. in every other colony. If any member had The President asked wheth time, it would stand over. No objection was raised and the Bill his opinion.

was read a third time. THE CODE OF CIVIL PROCEDURE BILL. alterations and the Ordinauce was better were very relevant. in its present form.

The Bill was read a third time and pass-

IS A JUNK A BRITISH VESSEL The Council went into Committee on the Magistrates' Bill, and got through several sections of that big measure. In the dis- plaints made. cussion of section 80, reference was made by the Attorney General to the power of-His Excellency—I beg to mention in the Magistrate to punish crimes committed

Mr Keswick-May I ask in this connec-

THE WHIPPING OF YOUTHFUL OFFENDERS. With regard to section 86, which pro

The Attorney General said there was a great diversity of opinion as to the ad Committee to agree to it at the same meeting. He did not wish to send such a boy to prison. I hope, however, such will only be extreme What the boy wanted was a good whippcases. In the ordinary run of cases it is ing. The Magistrate sent it for trial at the

only fair that the unofficial members should Supreme Court because he had not power have time to consider the reasons for which to order the boy to be whipped, and he thought the Supreme Court might have that power. He (the Attorney General) however, came to the conclusion that the Supreme Court had not that power either, The Magistrate had finally to dispose of the case by sending the boy to prison for one or two days; and I suppose the parents.

> His Excellency said that in several in stances whipping had been allowed in England. In the House of Lords recently second whipping was objected to, but fire whipping was approved of.

> gave him the whipping he so richly de-

The Attorney General said it was a very undesirable thing to send a young boy to prison for three or four weeks. He proposed that, besides for larceny, Magistrate have power to order a whipping for assault causing bodily harm or for indecent assault, and that the words or twice! be taken out, which would provide for only one whipping. One whipping was

the 23rd at 3 p.m. THE FINANCE COMMITTEE. The only item for consideration was the vote of \$2334,01, balance of the cost of the

Ducal reception demonstration. The Acting Registrar General regretted having delayed this vote. He did not know that the vute was coming on at last meeting and he thought it right to mention that an account had been prehe thought was a new account. It turned out that the person had only come to him supposing he was paying out the money. The Surveyor Ceneral said that, as regards

cations in the M. ney Order Department of Mr. Mackwen thought both members were out of order when they spoke at last the freed. My whole impression was that The net profit, after payment of Interest not their own-fight their way and narry off replying to a question said that Governo On Maintitation.

THE SANITARY BOARD.

The Sanitary Board met this afternoon. There were present : Hon. S. Brown. Surveyor General, (presiding); Major-General Gordon, Acting Captain Superintendent of Police; Hon. N. G. Mitchell-Innes, Acting Registrar General : Dr Ayres, Colonial Surgeon; Mr O. Chadwick, Mr J. J. Francis, Q.C., Mr Wong Shing, and Mr H. McCallum, Sanitary Superintendent.

THE ARCHITECTS AND THE SANISARY SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

A letter from the Colonial Becretary on Danby, Leigh and Orange, and Mesers Palmer and Turner, and by Mr W. St. John H. Hancock. The letter from the Colonial Beer tary stated that H. E. the Acting Governor would be glad to hear the views of the Board in regard to the protests made by the architects named against certain statements in the Sanitary Superintendent's report.

Mr Francis, said that, after carefully scheduled that did not exist at all. reading the report and the letters, he

Act, which had been 15 years in force in minimum of trouble to themselves. He did passed through committee without amend- dangerous to make reference to a tions I put to him and gave me the in- to Shares at 850 class of people, but did not think formation I asked for, I don't know of each His Excellency said the measure was a the architects of Hongkong were unfairly anybody who knew anything about these

The President asked whether the Board if I or the Chief Manager had noticed any objection to the Bill being read a third thought it desirable that Mr McCallum these large amounts passed to the prisoner's should have an opportunity of expressing credit, there might be some question.

they had no reason to call on. Mr passing to his credit !-- Yes, certainly; and McCallum to say anything unless they at his being ongaged in such large transac-The Attorney General moved the third themselves were disastisfied. If they tione reading of this Bill. He said he had fully thought there was any reasonable ground Would not these large sums passed to his To Interest, Balance of Acconsidered the suggestions made to him for the complaints which had been made, credit be carried into a ledger by an Engto which he referred last week, and had then they might call upon him to give an lish clerk?-Yes, as a rule the ledgers are To Balance... drawn up amendments which he submitted explanation, but he did not think there was kept by English clerks, but sometimes to the Chief Justice, who, however, consid- anything in the report which called for that, when we have been shorthanded Portuguese ered it would be unadvisable to have such and he did not think the complaints made clerks have kept them.

Dr Ayres was of the same opinion.

Major-General Gordon then moved 'That the Board having read the Sanitary Superintendent's Report and the whole correspondence thereon are of opinion that there is nothing in the Report to justify the com-Mr Francis seconded, and the motion

was carried unanimously. BOAT BREAMING AT YAUMATI.

With regard to the petition from Yaumati on this subject it was resolved on the mution of Mr Francis 'that the Board see no reason for removing the breaming ground from Yaumati, but see no objection to the extension of the breaming ground to the north, while they consider the ground to the south asked for by the petitioners

AMENDMENT OF CATTLE DISEASES ORDINANCE. It was resolved to forward the Co-

louisl Veterinary Surgeon's report and Government, with the recommendation for animals slaughtered be raised from \$50 without reference. I suppose he must hav to \$200, as suggested by the Colonial haid in and drawn out. Veterinary Surgeon.

THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK EMBEZZLEMENT CASE. THE TRISONER ADMITS THE CHARGE.

A. M. P. da Silva, clerk in the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, who was charged with embezzling \$21,296.15 on 31st August last and \$23,484.77 on 26th September last. was brought before Mr Robinson in the Police Court to-day on remand. Mr A. B. Johnson appeared for the prosecution and Mr Caldwell for the defence.

Mr Thomas Jackson, chief manager of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, came aware of the defalcations by the prisoner on Wednesday last. His father called at the bank about half-past three that day, and advised me that his son had taken certain monies bolonging to the bank, and gave me particulars as far as he knew about

His Worship asked Mr Caldwell if he had any objection to this evidence. Mr Caldwell said he did not object.

Mr Jackson (continuing) -The prisoner's father said the prisoner had got into tronble through share speculations. I asked him what amount had been taken and he said it must have been about \$40,000 or \$45,000. I said I could not understand how that could possibly be se. The prisoner's father then said he was very anxious to do what he could to make good the loss. then stated that a matter of this kind-fraud or defalcation or whatever it might be called—having o me to my knowledge I had to bring it before the directors. I then spoke to the Chief Accountant, Mr Maitland, and he had an interview with companied him. Mr. Maitland then saw the prisoner, who pointed out to him the tems which were in fault.

Mr Johnson-Did the prisoner say anyto him at all. you, you had no idea of any such thing?-

not the slighest. bank knew of it except the prisoner ?-- No; I am not aware that anyone else in the ank knew of it.

That being the case, this defalcation as Balance Sheet for the year 1889. it is called having taken place as far back The work on the Company's property as August last, I suppose the prisoner if he during the year has been pashed forward had chosen had innumerable opportunities as rapidly as possible, and the Richmond for leaving the colony without detection ! Estate has been laid out to its boundaries, -Yes, he certainly had.

examining the youchers.

From what you heard did it seem to you Mr Ford, the Superintendent of the Bothat the prisoner made the completest dis tanic Gardens. closured and gave the frankest answers to | The securities we hold are stated in dethe questions asked !- It seemed to me that | tail, and are written down to the present he was auxious to help us in finding out | market price. he did not wish to conceal anything. He showed no indication of a desire to expenses, and insteading a balance of run out of the bank building !- No.

into the matter !-- Yes. against the occurrence of offences such as \$5,099.18.

this with which the prisoner is charged?-It seemed to me from my experience of this and other banks that a thing of this kind was almost impossible.

That being the case, am I to understand that if these safeguards had been applied BALANCE SHEET, DECEMBER 3'sr, 1889. this could not have happened !- \ o, corrain. ly not : you are not to assume anything of the Capital Account, kind. I think if a man is determined to Original Capital ... 833,300.00 commit a fraud he can do it, no matter New Capital, to almost how you watch him: In spite of safeguards ?- Yes, in spite of

safeguards. Have you as Chief Manager made inquiry this subject was laid on the table, along as to whather in the present instance these Debentures, 233 of \$100 each, with copies of the letters thereon addressed safeguards were applied?—I have read the bearing Interest at 5 per cent. to H. M. the Acting Governor by Messra given in this Court, and have per annum ... learned more from that than from any Hongkong and Shanghai Bank inquiry made in the office. That does not quite answor my question !

> -I have made inquiries in a general way. Profit and Loss ... but I have not made any special inquiry. You regarded a case of this kind as almost -impossible?—Yes . I have heard of frauds. forgeries and robberies, but I have never heard of an instance in which bills were Crown Loasehold Estates and

Mr A. W. Maitland, chief accountant of Investment in Public Companies, had come to the conclusion that the gen- the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank said- A. S. Watson & cond reading of this Bill. He said it tlemen who complained had found a On the afternoon of Wednesday last Co., Limited, 2,050 must be admitted by every one that great deal more in the statements referred Mr Jackson came to my deak and there was need for such a law here. If to than he did. He must say he did not made a communication in consequence Hongkong Land a person stole money, that was bad think the complaints at all justified by any. of which I sp.ke to the prisoner. I asked Investment and him what, was the matter, that his father Agency Co. Lim-Major-General Gordon expressed a had come there and said something dreadvev to the Prince and Ministers the express abused his position by falsely altering and similar opinion. It had been complaint full had happened. I asked him what, he sion of regret which Your Excellency had tampering with accounts, he committed a ed that Mr McCallum had made a had done. He told me he had passed en. He ngkong and telegraphed on behalf of the British Co- very much graver offence than if he simply serious reflection on the architects tries for bills we had never received. Lat put his hand into the till and took out the of Hongkong, but so far as he once said to him what have you done with Co., Limited, 790 I feel sure that this mark of sympathy money. He did not wish to make allusion | could see the architects of Hongkong were | it? He said I had to make allusion | Shares at 52 per will be appreciated no less highly by the to a recent case, but he thought it would be not mentioned, although there was a refer- Sugar shares. He pointed out to me two cent, prem. apparent to everybody that it was most ne- ence to architects generally, that reference sets of bills entered in our registers and Trust and Loan Co. cessary that a law dealing with this matter | being simply that it was the care of archit- said they did not exist. I could not have of China, Japan, should be brought into force in this Colony. | etcs to complete their clients' houses as found those entries myself, as I don't keep | and Straits, Lim-By Mr Caldwell-I am not sure whether | Application not see anything in that to afford ground for Mr Jackson was standing near at this in Tebran and Gam-

> Have you no routine in the office by which this could have been discovered ?—Probably

Mr Caldwell—That would have been on Mr Francis said it seemed to him account of surprise at such large amounts | To Crown Rent, General

In the case of the prisoner it would be carried into the ledger by the man who takes charge of the letter 'S' -Yes. Does nobody exercise control over the By Rents, Investments, &c. ledger-keepers,-I mean to say as to the supervision of the ledgers ?-Yes, in certain

If you choose to say simply in certain ways' I don't ask you to make any further explanation?-Regarding everdrawn accounts, cheques with the Books and Vonchers of the Comwould be referred to me or to the sub-ac- pany and found it to be correct. countant in my absence. In the case of credit balances there would be no need for reference, unless in the case of a junior in . our office passing large amounts: that should have been noticed and reported His Worship-There is no express rule to that effect I suppose. It is simply a matter of discretion?—Yes.

Mr Caldwell-So far as you know the ledger-keeper who had charge of the letter 'S' did not refer this to you or to the sub-accountant's No. I auppose the cash was balanced at the end of the year?—Yes. . How was it balanced if all that money

I am simply asking if you know?-I de know of my own personal knowledge. Do you know how the cash was hal anced?-I could tell you, but it is a matter that would require a great deal of explanation. I mean as regards your own persons

knowledge?—No. I can't say of my own personal knowledge. Do you know of anything that would prevent the prisoner from running away if he

wnated to do so?-No, I do not. Mr Maitland, in reply to further questions, said the prisoner's predecessor was Mr Acurcio Jorge, who was succeeded by the prisoner about the middle of last year. examined by Mr. Johnson, said-I first be- Mr Jorge was a man about 45 years of age and was an old and trusted servant.

Mr Caldwell-Your Worship, evidence for the prosecution having gone so far, I am instructed, on behalf of the prisoner, to say that he is not ready to dispute what the witnesses have said as to his own admissions in the bank. That being the case be imposes upon me the duty of informing the Court that he will not call upon the presecution to preduce any further evidence. He now admits the proceedings at the Police Court vesterday charge, and that being the case there is in the case of A. M. Silva, I notice the folnothing for your Worship to do but to lowing :c mmit him. What I have said refers of course only to the one item has been spoken of, namely,

\$23 484.77. Mr Juliuson said the prosecution did not think it necessary to go into any evidence with regard to the other items mentioned in his opening remarks and in Mr Wright's public, it was not so as regards slips (repre-

evidence. The case was then committed for trial at the Bank, such alips being passed fornext criminal sessions.

Mr Silva, Senior, and Mr Noronha, who ac. THE RICHMOND TERRACE ESTATS AND BUILDING COMPANY. L'MITED The following is the report of the General

Manager, for the year ending the 31st Dething to you !- No; I did not speak comber, 1889, for presentation to the Shareholders at the Ordinary General Meeting Mr Caldwell-Before Mr Silva came to of the Company, to be held at the office of the Company at Noon, on Saturday, the 24th May. 1893 : -And so far as you know, nobody in the To the Shareholders of the Richmond Ter

race Estate and Building Company Limited GENTLEMEN, -I b g to lay before you our

affording numerous valuable building sites Alter Mr Silva, Senior, had seen you in approached by private roads at an easy your private office, do you remember going gradient and commanding on all sides bean to Mr Mai land's deak in the outer office I tiful views This Estate is now divided into two lots by the Lower Richmond Road Did you see Mr Maitland go to the pri- while the Upper Richmond Road traverses soner's deck !- I saw Mr Muitland at the ite southern or upper boundary on which prisoner's desk. They were there together we are now building. The Roads and Slopes have been planted with trees, and I Were you close enough to hear what was | bave to acknowledge, with many thanks, the assistance that I have received from

to Dobenture Hulders, of Repairs and other \$1.29 .74 brought forward from last year. Did you instruct Mr Maitland to inquire | amounts to \$10,661.16, out of which I procose to pay a dividend of 14 per cent. ab- departments, who cannot be accused on India. As a broad question, is there no safeguard | sorbing \$1,6:2.00, and to carry forward | this account of acting unjustly-least of all | London, April 20. - In the House of Com-

W. Maitland. Jno. D. Humphneys, General Manager, Hongkong, 14th May, 1890.

count for Divid-

ends from January 1, 1890. ... 66.700.00

153,724,38 Cash on Deposit ... 39,934,94 Sundry Creditors 1.146.80 10,661.18

328,767.30  $m{Assets}$ .  $oldsymbol{oldsymbol{eta}}$ **\$100,547.6**0 Shares at \$21.00 \$43.050.00 ited, 50 Shares at

ited. Deposit on

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Profit a. d Loss.

\$13,783.8 Centra. By Bilance forward

JNO. D. HUMPHREYS, General Manager. I have compared the above Statement

Hongkong, 14th May, 1890. SUPREME COURT IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION. (Before Mr A. G. Wise, Acting Puisne Judge.)

A. W. MAITLAND, Auditor.

Friday, May 16. DAVER V. BRANDT-A SHARE CASE. balance due on a transaction in Punjom instructing him to order the officer named shares. Mr Hastings (of Messrs Wotton to withdraw below the River Rual, and and Deacon's Office) appeared for the plain-

was upropresented. 🔀 up when I tendered them to him. I sold terests, he was glad also to say that the the shares at \$11 per share, which was the German Government, unsolicited. had asmarket rate on that date. The balance sured her Majesty's Government that the due from the defendant amounts to \$400. Evidence having been given as to the for the plaintiff, with costs.

THE CHINESE ISSURANCE CO. T. J. ANDREW. This was a claim for rent. debted to the Chinese Insurance Co. in the ever operated together, in such a posisum of \$75, for rent. The claim is for the tion as Germany and Great Britain had last two months' rent, but the rent for March has been paid, which reduces the and with a greater absence of friction beclaim to \$75.

Judgment for the plaint Ma, with costs. CORRESPONDENCE.

A CORRECTION. To the Editor of the 'CHINA MAIL.' Sir.-Referring to your report of th

\* Whose duty is it to ascertain the existence of securities !- The Cashier sees that they are actually in our possession. \*Who was cashier in August and Sentember 1 89 !-- Mr W. H. Wallaca. Now, though it was my duty to do as stated above as far as regards the outside senting securities) passed by employes of ward direct to the ledger-keepers, and not

passing through my hands at all.

-Yours faithfully. W. H. WALLACE. I ate Cashier Hongkong & Shan hai Bank Corporation.

I shall be obliged by your publishing this.

A REPLY TO BRITISHER. To the Editor of the CHINA MAIL - Hongkong, May 16. SIR,—The slight thrown upon the Por. The troops are occupying the Paluis de tuguese youths of this Colony by your cor- l'Industrie and the various squares. respondent Britisher, in his letter headed THE BAILWAY STRIKE IN IRELAND-TRADE L'ositions of trust, whileh appeared in your last night's issue, cannot be accepted . London, April 28. - Mr Michael Davitt without a few called-for remarks in justifica. has made attempts, which so far have

tion of his object of attack.

youths I would point out that Butisher, trade in the south. The mail was the only with all his patriotism in advocating the train from Dublin to Queenstown yesterday. cause of English youths, has taken up his London, April 30. The mediation of arms to direct first his attacks towards two Archbishop Walsh and Mr Michael Davitt officials of his own race, who are unjustly between masters and men in the railway imputed for dosting on the natives of the strike in Ire and has failed. The Arch-Macao branch of the Lusitanian people, or, bishop blames the directors of railways for to put it in plainer terms, for showing a the failure. partiality towards the Portuguess for posts London, May 1 .- Hopes are entertained in the Government Departments. As a matter of fact compatitive examina- | settled to-day by a compromise. tions are generally held for junior Government posts which are thrown open to one Hammond, and all possissing the necessary qualifications. If then the Lustanians - centuring with all the odds exainst them, insmuch as the examinations are beld in a language Commons the Chanceller of the Exchiquer the palm, to whom is the victory attribut ment would take no stop regarding the able | And whose fattit is it that Britishers' question of a hall-mark for allver plate imrivals are admitted into the civil service I ported from India of the rupse standard

The accounts have been audited by Mr factors of all equally, as has been sufficiently would move that no reform in the silvertrade ciently proved by the esteem one of those would be complete unless it provides for the referred to carned in his lifetime and by export of any quality without compulsory the demonstrations which his death called hall-marking. forth from the community in general. Unhappily for us of late a few cases of

breaches of trust on the part of Portuguese | publishes an account of an interview their clerks have been brought to light, but those representative had with Mr Childers revery exceptional cases do not furnish suffi- garding the impressions he had formal of cient reasons for one to infer that the ma- his late tour in the East. Mr. Children jurity of the community have the same | warmly praised the energy and intelligence misfortune, or are of the same mettle. Perhaps Britisher himself igneres the said that the Indian army was in a high fact that Englishmen, who are really so at state of efficiency. Rogarding the Indian heart, not under a more liberal policy than Congress, he thought that many measures he is disposed to extend to their foreign of reform were feasible, but they must be

MR CHILDERS IMPRESSIONS OF INDIA.

of the officials on the Indian frontier, and

gradual. British responsibility for tho safe-

SYMPATHY WITH THE INDIAN CONCRESS.

stonian Liberals was held at Swansen, at

which the Mayor presided. Babu Surendra

Nath Banorji and Mr Dadabhai Naoroji

were present and addressed the meeting.

which passed a resolution of sympathy with

thorized the Mayor to address a potition to

Parliament asking that the elective princi-

SIR F. DE PINTON APPOINTED GOVERNOR

London, April 29 .- It is understood that

OF EAST AFRICA.

Sir Francis de Winton has finally accepted

the post of Governor of the possessions of

the East Africa Company, and will start for

Mombasa in a few weeks. He will in con-

sequence resign the post of Assistant Quar-

erm eter-General at the Horse Guards.

ABREST OF ANABCRISTS IN PARIS.

Anarchists have been arrested here, and a

secret printing press for the issue of revolu-

tionary pamphlets has been discovered. It

is reported that the arrest of all the lenders

Paris, April 29th .- Arrests of Anarchists

Paris, April 29th. Fifteen Anarchists

have been arrested at Lyons. Explosives,

presumably for use on the day of the Labor

Demonstration, were found at their resid-

DEBATE ON THE IRISH LAND BILL

Irish Land Bill was resumed last night in

the House of Commons. Mr. Chamberlain

said he thought it possible to adopt Mr.

Mr. Balfour, and advocated giving the Irish

County Councils, when created, control

over the transfer of land. He urged mu-

icenses with Municipal and County Coun-

Parnell's proposals jointly with those of

London, April 29th.-The debate in the

Paris, April 29th.—Seven prominent

ple in India be recognised.

continue to be made here.

Lordon, April 29 .- A meeting of Glad-

London, April 28. The Pall Mall Gaz tle

subjects. - Yours faithfully, A LUSITANIAN. ty of India, he said. must be unqualified.

THE STRUGGLE FOR AFRICA

DEBATE IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS We take the following report of a discussion in the House of Commons on the African question from the Standard of loth the efforts of the Indian Congress, and au-April, received by the German mail :-

Mr Buchanan asked for information as to our relations with Portugal in regard to the Shire River and Nyassa country, and also as to the movements of the Germans in Africa. There was a prospect of very serious disagreement with the Powers of Europe, and especially with Germany and Portugal, in consequence of the rival claims of the African Companies.

Commander Bethell said that the sphere of Germany in Africa was marked on the north and south, but was very hazy on the west. Difficulties were likely to arise in consequence of this uncertainty. He joined in urging the advisability of clearing up existing difficulties. He wished to know whether the South African Company had absorbed the Lakes Company, and, if so, whether the Charter included the territory claimed by the Lakes Company. He was not in favour of large Companies, and looked with considerable dislike upon the system of farming out Governments.

Sir J. Fergusson ontirely accepted what the hon, member for Edinburgh (Mr. Buchanan) had said as to the House having been very reticent upon this question, which must excite great interest, and was of much national importance. Hon, members would probably recognise that debates in the House upon these tender questions might possibly compliate negotiations. In this sense he thought that the House had been well advised in its reticence, and that

tual concessions in order to settle the Irish British interests had not suffered. The Land question. hon, member had asked for some informa-AFFAIRS IN CRETE. tion as to our relations with Portugal in London, April 29th. -The state of siege respect of South Africa. As he had stated as been raised in Crete, and martial law the other day, there were still some queshas been abolished. The Christians there tions unsettled. There was, for example, the are much gratified at this. question of the Delagos Railway Company, MAJOR WISSMANN'S MOVEMENTS. in the seizure of which it thought that the Zanzibar, April 29th. - Major Wissmann, British Company had been unfairly treated. with a strong force, has left Bergamoyo in Her Majesty's Government certainly order to subdue Kilwa. H. M. S. Turquoise expected that the company would receive has gone there to protect British interests. just compensation, but as yet the negotia-THE FIGHTING ON THE WEST COAST OF tions had not brought the matter to a satisactory conclusion. As to the affairs that Paris, April 29 .- The latest news from had lately excited so much interest, owing the west coast of Africa states that the Dato the advance of a Portuguese expedition homeyans are eight miles from Porto Novo to the neighbourhood of the Lakes, her and are destroying the palm forests as they Majesty's Government had no reason to advance. The French are shelling Whydah. doubt the loyalty of the Portuguese Gov-LORD R. CHURCHILL AND THE LICENSING. ernment to the engagements they had entered into. With regard to the rumour to London, April 30th. - Lord R. Churchill which the hon, member had referred, that ias introduced a Bill to amend the Licena fresh expedition had been made against sing Laws. The Bill vests the right to issue

the neighbourhood of Mashonaland, he was

glad to say that the Portuguese Government

prejudicial to the interests that each had

NEWS BY THE GERMAN

MAIL.

THE PROPOSED LABOUR DEMONSTRATIONS.

demonstrations in the lat May have been

prohibited in most of the German states,

and many firms threaten their men with

dismissal if they take holiday on that day.

the military authorities of Paris in view of

the Labor demonstration on Thursday.

proved abortive, to mediate in the railway

London, April 80, - Oblivary, - Lord

London. April 28. In the Floure of

THE PROPOSED HALL MARK FOR INDIAN

PLITE

It is certainly not the fault of the heads of without consulting the Government of

such as are generally recognised as bene mous bir. Bradlaugh gave notice that he

PAR LIBED.

Great preparations are being made by

Berlin, April 28.-The proposed labour

interests.

cils, who will have full authority to regulate had assured her Majesty's Government that the hours of closing. It also provides for a they had received no information whatever registration fee from Clubs, ranging up to us to that expedition, and that the telegrams? £2,000, which is to be payable to the recaived yesterday at Mozambique made no County Councils. mention of it. The Portuguese Government THE INDIAN CONGRESS COMMITTEE AT This was a claim for \$400, being the land telegraphed to the Governor General. A meeting was held yesterday at Cardiff ander the auspices of the Indian Congress adding that the Portuguese Gorvernment .Committee, at which resolutio, a were passtiff. The defendant was not present and would in no way sauction any transaction ed similar to those passed at Swanses. calculated to prejudice the negotiations be-Banneriie and Dadabhai Naoroji were the P. F. Daver, the plaintiff, said—I sold tween that country and England. As to the chief speakers. A letter was read from Mr. to the defendant 50 Punjom shares at \$19. statement that a German expedition was Reed, the member for Cardiff, promising per share on 12th March for delivery on about to set out into Central Africa in a support to Mr Bradlaugh's amendment to 12th April 1890. He did not take them direction that might prejudice British in the India Councils Bill.

ENGLAND AND HER COLONIES. London, May 1.-The Annual Banquet of the London Chamber of Commerce took expedition intended under Emin Pacha was place last night in the Hotel Metropole. designed entirely to operate between the Mr Goschen and the Agents-General for the market rate, his Lordship gave judgment German spheres, and not at all to prejudice Colonies were present. Sir Charles Tup-British interests, inasmuch as the German per, High Commissioner in Loudon for Government fully recognised the demarca-Canada, said England can depend on suptions that had been made, and that reservport of her Colonies in time of emergency. ed to each Power a sphere of influence. He denied there was any widespread desire C. H. Harms said—The defendant is in. He supposed that no two Powers had in Canada for annexation to the United States. Mr Goschen, referring to the Bimetallic question, held that the State bad lately occupied, with more perfect loyalty, its right to interfere in remedying causes of depreciation of silver. tween the Governments and the officers

GERMAN BAST ATRICA. employed. He was quite sure that, as the Beilin, 14th April.-The Zanzibar mail German Government relied upon us, so we of the 25th ultimo arrived to-day, with might rely upon them not to take any step some interesting news. The whole of the northern part of German East Africa is in view-interests quite large enough to perfectly quiet, and the great caravan road give full scope to the energies of both counfrom Bagamoyo to Tanganyika is safe for tries. The region of Lakes Nyassa and traders. Caravans of more than f ur thou-Tanganyika was one in which we had reason | sand bearers, with ivory worth over two hunto take great interest, seeing that it illus- dred thousand dollars, have arrived at Bagatrated the enterprise of the very moblest of moyo within the last few weeks, and more British subjects. No definite arrange : ent | are expected. Major Wissmann has sent had been come to with regard to that rethe Vali of Saadani, who is well gion, but he hoped that the House would affected to the Germans, to Lindi and feel assured that the British interests were Mikindani, to enter on negotiations for protected and watched over, and that they peace with the Arab chiefs Sefoo. ran no risk from the conduct of our allies, a son of Tippoo Tib, is in Zanzibar, and who throughout these affairs had shown will shortly start with a large caravan for such perfect loyalty to and respect for our Tabore. Dr. Banmann, who has been commissioned by the German East African

> Tanga to Usambara and Kilimanjaro, left Tanga with an escort on the 6th pit. The Post hears that Emin's letter about Mr Stanley's proposals to him greatly hastoned the efforts made to induce him to enter the German service and to equip an expedition for him. ELECTIONS IN PORTUGAL.

> Company to survey the country, with a

view to the construction of a railway from

Lisbon, April 14.—In the elections held to-day for 50 Poers of the Kingdom, only Conservatives and Progressists were returned, no Republicans being chosen. The Conservatives will, therefore, have a may jority in the Chamber of Peers.

Exchange. Hongkono, May 18. Whilst defending the interests of our strike in Ireland, which utterly paralyses | On London-On demand, ... 9.3 30 days' sight, 4 months sight, ... Quodito, 4 Documentary, 4 months, sight, 8.45 On Parises On demand, ... Credite, 4 months' sight, ... 4,25 that the Railway strike in Ireland will be On Berlin-On demand On New York-1 n tiemsted Credits, & Aspa sight, On Bombay-On demand On demand.

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naining after the 22nd Inst. will be subject rent.	N THURSDAY, the 22nd May, 1890, at Noon, the Company's S.S.	TO LET.	13.—Russell & Co. 14.—E. E. & A. China Telegraph Co., Ld. 15.—Central Police Station.		HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOO	CHAS. J. GAUPP &
esented to the Undersigned on or before c 22nd Instant, or they will not be re-	rith MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the boys places.	POOMS in College Changes.  No. 9. Seymour Terrace.  STONEHENGE, Robinson Road, from	16.—Watson, A. S., & Co. 17.—Douglas Lapraik & Co. 18.—Butterfield & Swire.	BANKING CORPORATION.	CHIPMASTERS and ENGINEERS a	Jewellers, Gold & Silver
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Agents.  Hongkong, May 15, 1890. 899	Shipping Orders will be granted till	Hongkong, April 1, 1890.	23.—Jordan, Dr G. P. 23.—Jordan, Dr G. P. 24.—The Hongkong-& China Gas Co., Ld. 25.—H. K. & Whampon Dock, Aberdeen.	PURCHASED AND SOLD.	receive prompt attention.  In the Event of Complaints being for	RITCHIE'S LIQUID AND OTHER  ADMIRATTY & IMRAY  OF-  NAUTTOAL ROOK
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HE Steamship Thisbe having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of argo are hereby informed that their Goods,	Ayent.	1 ST FLOOR of HOUSE, No. 15, PRANCE 2ND FLOOR of HOUSE, No. 64, QUEEN	33.—Hancock, W. St. John H., C.E. 34.—Cluickshank, W., Victoria Dispensary 35.—Brodie, W., Residence. 36.—Ab Yon & Co.	n Tana 1990	OF HONGKONG. A SKETCH.	COLLEGE OF MEDICI
with the exception of Opium, are being anded at their risk into the Godowns known a Tue Hongroup Whate AND Godowns,	Occidental & Oriental Steam	The confidence AT	38.—Linstead & Davis. 39.—Foster, F. T. P. 40.—The Borneo Company, Limited.	WISSION ETRANGERE History of the Churches of India	S: PRICE, FIFTY CEN	opn To retrumpe in the C
Wanchai, whence delivery may be obtained.  Consignees wishing to receive their Goods  the Wharf are at liberty to do so.	Ship Company.  TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGER	No. 153, Queen's Road Central	41.—Adamson, Bell & Co. 42.—Dodwell, F. 43.—Jordan, Dr G. P., Residence.	Burmah, Siam, China, Japan, &c., &c., &c.	& Co.; Mesers. Kelly & Walsh;	OOLLEGE by forwarding MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
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nust be sent in to the Undersigned BEFORE YOUR, ON THE 22ND INST., OR THEY WILL	THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS,  AND  ATLANTIC & OTHER CONNECTIN	Crew of the following Vessels, duri their stay in Hongkong Harbour:-	51.—Morris & Ray. 52.—Layton, B., Residence.	Office. Hongkong, November 6, 1889. 2	NOW READY.	Hongkong, August 7, 188
No Fire Insurance has been enected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 22nd Instant will be subject to rent.	STEAMERS.	J. Hickborn.—Tong Sang Wo.	53.—Judd, W. 54.—Webber, J. F.		nt Vessels in Rongko	2100 16-60V
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Hongkong, May 15, 1890. 902	the 22nd May, at 1 p.m.  Connection being made at Yokohan with Steamers from Shanghai and Jap	SENATOR, British ship, Capt. H. H. Man Konzie. — Order.	fig. 62.—Stevens, Geo. R., Residence.  Subscribers will oblige by correction their Lists accordingly.	ng Shipping or midway between each she section.	Section.	J Vard to Blue Buildings.
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